केन्द्रीय सरकार स्वास्थ्य योजना को आपूर्ति की गई दवाइयों का कल्चर परीक्षण

924. **प्रो० राम बख्श सिंह वर्मा:** क्या स्वास्थ्य और परिवार कल्याण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या केन्द्रीय सरकार स्वास्थ्य योजना द्वारा कम्पनियों से ली गई औषधियों का कल्चर परीक्षण किया जाता है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या केन्द्रीय सरकार स्वास्थ्य योजना द्वारा मुलतानी आयुर्वेदिक फार्मेसी और एमिल आयुर्वेदिक फार्मेसी से ली गई औषधियों को कल्चर परीक्षण किए जाने के उपरान्त ही लिया गया; और

(ग) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं?

स्वास्थ्य और परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय के राज्यमंत्री (श्री सलीम इकबाल शेरवानी): (क) से (ग) आयुर्वेदिक भेषजसंहिता समिति द्वारा अनुमोदित भेषज संहिता मानक के अनुसार आयुर्वेदिक औषधों की गुणवत्ता का पता लगाने के लिए कल्चर जांच अपेक्षित नहीं है।

Appointment of Computer Operators in Delhi Branches of State Bank of Indore

925. **SHRI PARAG CHALIHA:** Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the appointments of the computer operators (LPM) in the Delhi branches of the State Bank of Indore were not made as per seniority with details of the last 2 years;

(b) if so, what criteria have been adopted for the selection of computer operators;

(c) whether it is a fact that the seniority list of Delhi branches of State Bank of Indore is doubtful/incomplete and many employees shown in the list have since been promoted and the list has not been brought up to date; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE AND THE MINISTER OF COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) State Bank of Indore has reported that the appointment of Computer Operators, including of those in the branches situated in Delhi, is done on the basis of seniority of the empanelled employees. An Aptitude Test is conducted for selection of Computer Operators, from time to time, for eligible employees who are willing for their identification.

The bank has reported that the employees who qualify in the Aptitude Test are empanelled in order of their seniority. The appointment (identification) is done on the basis of seniority of empanelled employees as and when a vacancy arises. The list of employees identified as Computer Operators in Delhi branches of the bank during 1995-96 is given in the statement (*See* below).

(c) and (d) No, Sir. The bank has further reported that employees promoted are deleted from the list and the present empanelled list is up to date.

Statement

Year of Qualifying the Test : 1989 Date of their Identification, ETC.

Name of Employee	Present Place of Posting	Date of Identification
Ms. Usha Arora	Connaught Circus, New Delhi	22.04.95
Ms. Chandni Mathur	G.K. II, New Delhi	-do-
Ms. Reena Saluja	Rajouri Garden, New Delhi	-do-
Shri Sunil Kr. Jain	Chandni Chowk, Delhi	-do-

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Name of Employee	Present Place of Posting	Date of Identification
Ms. Punam Madan	Chandni Chowk, Delhi	-do-
Ms. Madhubala Sharma	Service Branch, New Delhi	-do-
Ms. Shobha Agarwal	Connaught Circus, New Delhi	17.04.96
Year of Qualifying the Test	1993 Date of Their Identification Etc.	
Shri H.L. Arora	Connaught Circus, New Delhi	17.04.96
Ms. Sunita Jain	Chandni Chowk, Delhi	-do-
Shri A.K. Singh	Service Branch, New Delhi	-do-

Setting up of Base by Star TV in Karnataka

926. SHRI K.M. KHAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has been reported that Star TV is setting up their base in Karnataka;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether such initiative by Star TV is being taken with the approval of Union Government;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether such attempts of international media will not harm the security of the country; and

(f) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI C.M. IBRAHIM): (a) to (c) Union Government has not accorded any approval to STAR TV for setting up their base in Karnataka.

(d) to (f) Do not arise.

Kanishka Air crash inquiry

927. SHRI K.R. MALKANI: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of the inquiry regarding Kanishka Air crash; and

(b) the details of action taken, in India and in Canada in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI C.M. IBRAHIM) : (a) and (b) The accident was investigated by Hon'ble Justice B.N. Kirpal, the then sitting Judge of the Delhi High Court who was appointed as a Court of Inquiry by the Government of India under rule 75 of Aircraft Rules 1937. The report submitted by the Court of Inquiry was accepted by the Government and released for public information.

Sectors of Economy

928. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the impact of the new economic liberalisation programme implemented by Government during the years 1991—96 on the core sectors of the economy, growth rate, foreign exchange earnings and industrial growth; and

(b) the estimate of total foreign investments in the country during 1985 and 1990?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE AND THE MINISTER OF COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) A table showing the perfomances of the various sectors of the economy from 1990-91 through